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As unsympathizing exchange suggests that there is still one resource open to Roscoe Conkling. He can lecture.

THE Democrats are not left a sirgle pin to hang an argument on the coming fall campaign. Even the snake crop is good.

Governor Bishor was interviewed in New York, recently, by a Herald reporter He says that the Greenback vote is an uncertain quantity; that Ewing will proba bly be elected; that Thompson is dead in Ohio politics for all time, and that Tilden No Fever at Corinth-Superintend is just now the favorite in Ohio for Presi-

According to the Chicago Tribune, that city "is growing faster than ever. A visit to the southern, western and northern edges of the town reveals an astonishing seen at the stock yards, where a new city

WEST VIRGINIA is a young State, and she has not, as yet, many institutions that can national reputation, but what she has she ought to be given credit for. This remark is called forth by the custom indulged in by papers that ought to be better informed of the geography country, in placing White Sulphur Springs perenter to locate the Southern Saratoga properly by placing it where it rightfully be ongs, in Greenbrier county, this State

Hox. LORENZO DANFORD addressed the Republican Club at Zanesville, Ohio, on Wednesday evening. Mr. Danford spoke at length of the proposed rebel legislation in Congress; analyzed the relative strength of the Northern and Southern vote in Congress, and showed which wing of the Democracy controlled the affairs of the vation and what Tom Ewing means when he speaks of a Democratic triumph. His speech was a most brilliant effort, and held the undivided attention of the crowd from the opening to the close.

THE credit of no Nation now stands higher than that of the United States. ser than that of the United States, evy was never so good nor more dant. Since resumption became a confidence has revived, business is ingup, labor is being employed, and tide of gold is rolling in, not flowing if the country. Mr. Gladstone's preport that by 1880 this will be the richstion on the face of the globe is in a way of being realized. And yet our rocratic friends, with all their demands indered, are not yet happy.

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IMAGINE a mob of our "best" people collecting together to force by threats the withdrawal of any candidate-no matter how humble or how ridiculous! The fact is that we have nothing of this sort through all the great, growing, populous and prosperous North, and the Southern plan is a offensive to Democrats as to Republicans. It is for this reason that a Northern Democrat, going South, finds that he cannot affiliate with Southern Democrats, or the Southern dominant idea, which defles system, repression. And the South can Hallett, Chief Supervisor of Elections never prosper until it forsakes these ways and accepts the ideas on which political were demanded by both parties, and ap-

THE tribulations of the Washington and Waynesburg narrow gauge railroad are nearing an end. That is: the road will either be sold by the Sheriff in a short time for obligations amounting to \$12,000, or, it will be leased to Mesars. Swart and to pay off all claims against the road, and election. Witness was undecided, though the believed it to be within the power of the state to remedy any irregularities. good condition at the expiration of their lease. If the money cannot be raised among the stockholders of the company,

MRS. JANE GRAY SWISSHELM, writing to the Chicago Tribune, defends Mrs. John Breen, his adopted son and a young Sprague's actions toward Senator Conkman named Slavin were drowned by the upsetting of a fishing boat. ling, and that her conduct never went further than an innocent defiance of Mrs. Grundy. She says Mrs. Sprague did send bouquets and notes to his (Conkling's) cruits for the Kaval Service left here todesk. It would seem to indicate that her mode of lobbying was of the most grace- York, where they will be put on board iul, highly approved and innocent kind. liad her relations with Senator Conkling been criminal, they would scarcely have His place is now supplied by another sur blossomed out into these public manifestations. That very small pattern of a man, ber husband, once proposed in the United States Senate to employ and pay same plan the he did factory girls, and T. Taylor, aged 19, and Robert E. Barnard, all the soul he had must have been rattling around in it's little body like a grain of mustard seed in a dry gourd or he would have gone to Washington last winter on the first hint of the scandal and quietly notified Senator Conkling that he had rights at stake and children to protect. The fact that Senator Conkling went openly to Sprague's house, taking his trunk, shows that Mr. Sprague had not given him reason to understand that he would not be welcome. The whole affair seems like another instance of Kate's constitutional willfulness and habitual defi-ance of Mrs. Grundy. For her father's sake, and that of her sisters and her chil-while the sisters and her children, and for the sake of truth and fair dealing, I trust that the most generous allowance will be made for her. She has, no doubt, been using Mr. Conkling to procure Government favor for herself and reached the breakers at two, being ahead of time. He remained outside until the appointed hour to fulfill his contract. has been false to herself and broken her

### DOMESTIC NEWS.

Yellow Fever Intelligence from

The Plague Still Raging With Unabated Vigor.

Meeting of the National Cotton Exchange at New York.

Interesting Exercises at Chautaugua Camp Ground Yesterday.

MEMPHIS, August 13.—The Mayor Corinth, Miss., telegraphs as follows: "Not a case of yellow fever in Corinth." Hon. Jno. Johnson, member of the State Board of Health and superintendent of If the town reveals an astonishing ment. This is particularly to be the stock yards, where a new city the stock yards, where a new city the stock yards. Here a working popular of the State Board of Health of the State or the State Board of Health of the State of Tennessee and superintendent of quarties has been as high as 20,000. This is the largest industrial population gathered in any single industry in any one square mile in the world."

Twenty-Three New Cases Yesterday Мемриів, August 13.—Twenty-three new cases in all were reported to the Board of Health to-day, 7 whites and 16

W. White and wife, Mrs. Lelia Jones. and John McLaughlin.

last named colored.

Miss Johanna Ostmann, sister-in-law to
Mrs. Wilhemina Ostmann, whose death
was reported at noon, died late this evening after the official report of the Board of Health had been made out.

All the prominent sick were reported as doing well to-night. J. D. Plunkett, President of the State Board of Health, telegraphs from Nash-ville that the resignation of Hon. John Johnson, tendered this morning, was not

accepted by the Board.
The thermometer toneter to-day ranged from 68

### AQUATIC.

The Hillsdale Regatta.

DETROIT, August 13.—The regatta Baubeese Lake, near Hillsdale, under the auspices of the Hillsdale Rowing Association, commenced to-day. The weather and water was good and the attendance

The first heat of the Senior singles was won by W. B. Wells, of the Excelsiors, o Detroit—Beckhardt, of Hillsdale, second. Time 9:384. and Heat-C. A. Wells, of Mile

The races to-morrow are the final heats in the Junior and Senior singles; Senior double race and Junior and Senior fours. For the latter are entered: The Hillsdales,

# The Wallace Committee.

Boston, August 13.-The Wallace every sort of toleration, and has only one mittee continued its investigation to-day pointments made equally from the most responsible men of each party. All the persons warned by him not to vote admitted when before him that they were Pettit for a term of seventeen years, they tion machinery to influence the State

# Death-Dealing Electricity.

HALIPAX, August 13 .- During the severe the next best thing is to accept the terms thunder storm which passed over portions offered by Messrs. Swart and Pettit. In of Cape Breton, a young man named Mcthis way the road will be returned to them Donald, driving along the road near Glenthis way the road will be returned to them in seventeen years, and the stockholders will then be able to get something out of their investment; but in case the road is allowed to be sold by the Sheriff they will be cut off forever, and the road probably pass into the hands of strangers.

MES, JANE GRAY SWISSHELM, writing to Wednesday last, during which, at Parnby,

Sr. Louis, August 13.-Twenty-eight renight in charge of Lieut. Taunt for New the training ship Minnesota have been ready to leave, but for the sick-ness of Dr. Draper, the examining officer. geon, and examinations will proceed at once. Over one hundred and twenty boys are waiting the surgeon's attention.

# Youthful Chivalry.

Washington, D. C., August 13.-Frank aged 16, the former a clerk in the office of Casey Young, Tennessee Representative, and the latter Young's nephew and private secretary, had a duel this morning near Bladensburg. Shots were exchanged, when Mr. Young appeared and put an end to further hostilities. It was then stated the nistals were fixed with out an end to further hostilities. It was then stated the pistols were fixed with blank cartridges.

### A New Plan of Expressage St. Louis, August 13.-E. M. Morseman General Superintendent of the Union and Kansas Pacific Express, will open a gen

Amphibious Webb. accomplished his feat of swimming from

Sandy Hook to Manhattan Beach, Coney

Island. He was expected at 6 o'clock, bu

mportance of Meteorological Changes in the Cotton Belt. New York, August 13.—The National Cotton Exchange began a convention to day. St. Louis was represented by J. L. Sloss and W. M. Senter. About seventy persons were present, but not all were delegates

elegates.

The annual report of the Executive Ouncil set forth that owing to the appearance of the yellow fever in July, it was deemed advisable to remove the convention from St. Louis to New York. It declares that during the last five years cotton culture in the United States has outstripped the most sanguine expectations. The problem of free labor has been virtually solved, and the South must be regarded as the future reliance of the cotton manufacturer of both America and Europe. Taking the average of the last few years, but 31 per cent of the cotton crop is manufactured in the United States; 69 per cent going to feed the mills of Great Britain and continental Europe. The sensitiveness of cotton tolmeteorological influences is such that it would he highly advantageous were some efficient means supplied for getting information by telegraph of daily meteorological changes at a i the important points in the cotton bels. This work is of such interest as to come within the scope of the Federal authorities. The principal benefit from the uniform standards has been the harmonizing of published quotations. The international standards are more known and understood in all the markets of the world. as the future reliance of the cotton opics for discussion were reported, and he reports of the Committees on Statistics

ecommended the appointment of a comnittee, to whom suggestions of matters to be discussed, as sent in by constituent exestions of matters to colored. Among the number were Dr. J. changes, be referred for report. The commendation was adopted, and the co ittee appointed.
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The delegates went to Manhattan Beach in the evening, and stopped at Coney Island. They dine Friday with the New York Cotton Exchange.

### SPIRITED AWAY.

Sr. Louis, August 13.-Richard R. Der ry, a murderer of Pine Bluffs, Ark., was ment of taxes and penalties as an amendation brought here this morning from Leadville, col., by Sheriff Shaffer and Deputy Sheriff Henderson, en route to Arkansas, to be delivered to the authorities there, and while waiting at the Union Depot for a train on the Iron Mountain road hequiettian on the Iron Mountain road hequietly eluded the vigilance of his custodians and has not since been found. He was flormerly Deputy Sheriff of Jefferson county, Arkansas, and while in that office last February shot and while in that office last February shot and killed William II. Davis, whom he accused of cheating him at poker. Derry was heavily shackled when he escaped this morning. When last seen he was conversing in the gentlemen's waiting room with two strangers, who are suspected of being friends from Arkansas and who probably spirited him away while the officers' attention was ated in another direction. It was a ver

New York, August 13.-Twenty-six roads, represented on the Joint Executive Committee, have agreed to discontinue making special contracts for certain lots less than tariff rates. Shippers will get ten days' notice of an increase of the tariff, days' notice of an increase of the tariff, during which time all engagements will be filled, otherwise the increased rates will be charged. All freight must be billed at full tariff rates, otherwise it will be detained at the western termini of the trunk lines until the correction in billing is made. No rebates or drawbacks will be allowed, except on freight on wheat contracts that may have been made prior to June 12th, 1878, and for all such drawbacks vouchers must be approved by the Committee before any of the trunk lines will pay them.

New York, August 13 .- Judge Strong, iolding court in the Catskills, has postponed till October (when a full bench of poned till October (when a till bench of the Supreme Court will sit) the case of Alderman Clarke, of Cincinnati, convicted on the charge of tampering with the tally sheet of the Congressional election, and who seeks a release on the ground that the election law is unconstitutional. He is bailed in \$5,000.

# Baltimore's Postmaster.

BALTIMORE, August 13 .- The inves tion of the charges against Postmaster Tyler, preferred by B. F. Matthews, a clerk lately discharged, was begun to-day by special agents of the Postoffice Department. Only witnesses were admitted. partment. Only witnesses were admitted into the examination room, and against this course Matthews protested to the agents and to the authorities at Washington.

### Another Invitation Accepted TOPEKA, Ks., August 13.-The Governor

of Kansas is in receipt of a letter from the President, of which the following is a

"It gives me great pleasure to accept your invitation to visit Kansas, to be pres-cent at the Agricultural Fair at Neosha, September 5. B. B. Hayes."

# Lorne and Louise. Picton, N. S., August 13.—The Governor

General and Princess Louise had a most cordial welcome to-day in Nova Scotia. The United States steamer Kearsarge con-tributed to the brilliancy of the reception by manning the yards and making a pro-fuse display of bunting as the vice regal party passed in their steamer.

# President Hayes' First Fair Engage

Indianapolis, August 13.—Secretary Thompson telegraphed to-day to the Secretary of the State Board of Agriculture that President Hayes has accepted the in-vitation of the State Board, and will visit his city during the State Fair week, in

# When Doctors Disagree, &c.

SCHANTON, PA., August 13 .- Dr. Guylick of Hyde Park, while intoxicated last even ing, assaulted Dr. Gibbs at his house and was shot. Guylick then stabled Mrs. Gibbs probably fatally. Guylick and Gibbs are well known physicians.

### PIRE RECORD. AT DETROIT.

DETROIT, August 13 .- The steamer Z. W. Stoinhoff and Hutching's warehouse were destroyed by fire this forenoon. The fire spread so rapidly that some of the officers and crew were obliged to jump in the river, and were rescued by small boats. Loss \$30,000.

AT BALTIMORE.

Baltimone, August 13.—A fire in the drug house of Davis & Miller, No. 12 North Howard street, destroyed the stock, valued at \$20,000, and damaged the building to the amount of \$5,000. Insured.

General Philips worthe mile and three-quarterdash; Mintzer, the favorite, second, Clemmic G, third. Time 3.08;

The mile and quarter dash was won by Lancewood; Bonnie Carrie, the favorite, ing to the amount of \$5,000. Insured.

# THE GOVERNOR'S GUNNING

The Sprague-Conkling Affair Attracting

rong Attempts to Show a Reason for Sprague's Dislike of the Senator-He Had Made an Effort to Meet Him in Newport Several Days Ago, on Which Occasion He Missed Him by a Minute-Efforts to Hush the Scandal Up.

New York, August 12.-The Times has a long dispatch from Narragansett Pier, giving an account of the Conkling-Sprague affair, which substantially agrees the account sent last night. The World has some additional views in its dispatches.

The outbreak is traced back, by persons here familiar with all the parties, to a misunderstanding of old date between Sprague and Conkling, which appears to have originated in the fact that Conkling was called in to protect the interests of the children of Mrs. Sprague in some real estate in this city, over which ex-Gov. The misunder-tanding has long been no

torious here, though little attention has been drawn to it, as Mr. Conkling is a man of retired habits, and ex-Gov. Sprague has been seldom at the capitol. "Conkling last winter undertook, as a lawyer, to free Edgewood, Chief Justice Chase's residence, about a mile out of the city, from taxes and interest that had accumulated in consequence of defaults in their payment. The estate, it is understood, belongs principally to Mrs. Sprague's children. Mrs. Sprague has the management of it, and lives on it with her children and apart from her husband, who has remained in Rhode Island attending to the business imposed upon him by his reverses of fortune. The reason given for not paying these taxes was that Mrs. not paying these taxes was that Mrs.

Sprague had been absent in Europe when
they fell due. Mr. Conkling appeared in
the case. He induced the Committee of
the District of Columbia to introduce a y, a murderer of Pine Bluffs, Ark., was ment of taxes and penalties as an amend-

pected.

Notwithstanding the fact that the Sprague incident has been before the public for three whole days the excitement here is infinitely greater than it has been at any time singe the world at large first got wind of the matter.

It is asserted by respectable persons that Sprague has long entertained a strong dislike to Conkling, and has treated him on previous occasions with unfriendliness. if

ot with positive hostility.

When ex-Gov. Sprague left the Pier on unday of last week, it is said that he wen to Newport with the avowed intention forcing a quarrel upon Conkling there, by missed his man by a minute only. It missed his man by a minute only. It is stated that Conkling and Levi P. Morton, whose guest the Senator was, were in the postoffice waiting for the mail to open. After they had received their letters, Conkling went away and took the next boat to Narragansett Pier. Just after Senator Conkling left the Newport postoffice, ex-Governor Sprague appeared there, and is said to have walked into the Postmaster's room, talking freely enough, but not apparently suffering from any undue excitement. On the contrary, He appears to have behaved more rationally than is his wont, for ex-Gov. Sprague's best friends say that lately his conversations have been very disconnected. It was in Newport and on this occasion that ex-Gov. Sprague made use of the remark that "it was time the duello was brought back to the North, for there were matters which could only be properly adjusted by that means." He said at the sematics of the means. could only be properly adjusted by that means." He said, at the same time, that any newspaper reporters who meddled with him should be summarily dealt with, and that notwithstanding the fact that the

press has deatt very considerately with nim in the matter of his only too frequent escapades.
Senator Conkling is known to have slept one night, with other guests, at the house of ex-Gov. Sprague here, and it is certain that he stated to a gentleman that it was

therefore, have been anticipated in any way by him.

A sarcastic citizen to-day said that so far as he could see the only person benefitted by all this hub-bub is the German professor, Linck, who has suddenly become the most widely advertised instructor in these parts. The attempt to drag him into the affair was not ill advised and unfortunate. Had this not been done the whole thing would have passed off but as one of ex-Gov. Sprague's frantic demonstrations. Now, the very servants who know that the difficulty on Friday was with Senator Conkling, and who knew also, that ex-Gov Sprague followed the Senator and was heard to threaten the lateral of the street of the service of the same of t ter in the street, are making mountains of mole hills and keeping the most insane ersions of this alleged scandal prominent

ly before the public.

Linck has published a card several colums long in the Providence Journal. It shows nothing but that Sprague has al-ways entertained a violent dislike to him; ordered him out of the house to which has ordered him out of the house, to which he returned only by an understanding with Mrs. Sprague; that he was to act as tutor to her son William, and that Sprague finally pursued Linck into the town in a buggy, being armed at the time with a gun. Linck managed, however, to avoid him.

### FALL RIVER, MASS., August 13.-Walter Paine, Third Treasurer of the American

Linen Company, has been dealing in futures with the mills' money and lost \$100,000. His transactions were similar to those of George B. Durfee, at the Mechanics mill, his brother-in-law. The stockholders meet next week.

Bosros, August 13,-The cargo of the steamer Semiramide, lost by a collision, comprised 46,358 bushels of corn, 40 cases comprised 49,490 upages of corn. 40 cases of domestic pottons, 432 boxes of canned meats, 814 sacks of dried blood, 362 boxes of bacon, 250 teroes of lard, 425 sacks of cat meal, 299 head of live cattle and 22 head of horses, the whole valued at \$93,229.

Increase of Interest in the Exercise Denominational Meetings.

CHAUTAUQUA, N. Y., August 13,-This is one of Chautauqua's great days. opening exercise was a concert by the Northwestern Band from Meadville, Pa. There are many thousands of newcome on the ground.

Dally devotional conferences are becom ing a prominent feature. They are con ducted by Dr. L. W. Marshall, of Indian ducted by Dr. L. W. Marshall, of Indianapolis; Rev. H. H. Wells, of Ohio; Major
Cole and other eminent Christian workers. Several conversions are reported. At
the conference this morning Ira D. Sankey
spoke, prayed and sang. He said the saving of one soul was worth more than all
the intellectual and literary results of
Chautauqua. Major Cole also made a most
thrilling address.

These exercises are largely attended.
Prof. C. C. Case, of Cleveland, took charge
of the Chautauqua Musical College this
morning.

lecture on "The Earth as an Astronomical Body."

Joseph Cook lectured to about eight thousand people on "Alcohol and the Human Brain." He was greeted with tremendous applause, and his points were vell received. Rev. Dr. Hodges' lecture on "Augustin-

ian Theology" was a masterly effort, and was listened to by an immense number of clergymen, professional men, students and others.

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Denominational meetings of Baptists, Congregationalists, Methodists, United Presbyterians and Wesleyans were held. The Congregational and Presbyterian meetings were especially large. Rev. Frank. Russell and Rev. Minor W. Fairfield, both of Ohio, participated in the Congregational services.

Rev. Dr. F. N. Peloulet, Rev. Dr. Lyman Abbott, C. M. Nicholls, of Ohio, Rev. J. L. Maile, of Michigan, and Olis F. Presbrey were appointed a committee to report on Thursday a plan for a National Sanday School Convention.

Rev. W. W. Case, of Akron, was chosen President of the Methodist Episcopal meeting. Its object was to consult as to the interests of the Book Concern at New York. The question of Church Lyceums was also taken up. It was also suggested that the Sunday Schools should be taught was also taken up. It was also suggested that the Sunday Schools should be taught

was also taken the property of the property of the catechism; should be managed actorially of the Catechism; should be managed actoring to the Disciplinary plan and according to the Disciplinary plan and according to the Chautauqua idea.

Rev. J. A. Worden, presided over the result of Michigan, acted as Secretary. Rev. W. of Michigan, acted as Secretary. Rev. W.

### WANHINGTON.

Distress in England-Germany on th

WASHINGTON, August 13.-The United States Consul at Manchester, England, says that the failure of the crops is much more serious than was generally supposed abroad. The demand in England for meats and grains from the United States will be enormous. Business is greatly depressed. Last year more than \$5,000 persons were supported in Manchester by the public. The coming winter will probably witness a still greater destitution.

destitution.

The State Departmentsays: Germany is disposed to regard favorably the proposals of this government for further joint consideration of the bi-metallic subject, and hopes the present efforts will result in a bi-metallic Congress, in which all the leading States of Europe will participate.

QUEREC, August 13.—The transfer to the overnment of the Grand Trunk Raiload between Point Levis and the river Duloup is completed, and the Govern-ment was to commence running trains this nont was to commence running trains this norning. It appears, however, that the Government has not engaged any of the rain hands sumployed by the Grand Trunk Bailroad Company, and these men, some one hundred and fifty, have refused to allow any trains to run will the way and the second of the company to t with the Government it be retained; but the Government

# By Peaceful Measures.

SAN FRANCISCO, August 13.-Congress oan H. B. Wright addressed an immense audience of workingmen at Union Hall

Goy, Rishop Sustained. CINCINNATI, O., August 13.-The opinio of the District Court, rendered this foreoon, sustains Gov. Bishop's removal of J. Hogan from the Board of Police commissioners of Cincinnati.

# NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS.

Among those who went on the Niagara excursion was Mr. Stephens. Mr. Will. Morrison went with the excursionists, and expects to spend a short time visiting friends in Cleveland on his

The United Presbyterlan Church will have a picnic Thursday, on Rose Hill, for

This is a good time to see meteors, and nany have been seen each night for some Fights almost innumerable take place very day on the public square among boys. It is disgraceful; but it is not

right part of town to come The assignees of Cowen, Sheets & Co., are now paying out a dividend of twenty-five per cent to those having claims against that firm.

R. C. F.

### The Satire of the Time. From Senator Booth's Speech in San Francisco. It has been charged (the charge is as old

as the party itself) that the Republican as the party itself) that the Republican party was hostile to State rights and local government. At the close of the war eleven States were at its feet. It could have wiped out their boundaries, changed their names, made them military dependencies. Its chief care was to rehabilitate them, and restore them to proper relations to the Federal Union. It would be amusing if it were not serious, to watch THE TURF.

SARATOGA RACES.

SARATOGA, August 13.—The first race, three-quarter mile dash, was won by Oriole; Mary Ann second, Lady Darcy, the favorite, third. Time 1.17.

The selling race, one mile, was won by the favorite, Rhodamanthus; Suaque-hanna second, Bowstring third. Time 1.43.

General Phillips won the mile and three-quarter dash; Mintzer, the favorite, second, quarter dash; Mintzer, the favorite, second, and the favorite, second, and the favorite, second, quarter dash; Mintzer, the favorite, second, the favorite, second, and the favorite, second, the favorite favorite, second, the favorite favorite favorite, second, the favorite favorite favo

# FOREIGN NEWS.

The Zulu War Virtually Ended by the Monaistown, N. J., August 13.—Reports from all portions of Northern New Jersey Battle of Uljundi. indicate a most prenounced revival of the iron trade. Mines, furnaces and forges

Trouble Experienced in Filling Count Andrassy's Position.

Available Turkish Force for a War With Greece.

Destructive Storms to Property and Life in Denmark.

AUSTRIA.

WHAT ANDRASSY SAID.

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VIENNA, August 13.—Count Andrassy
stated two months ago that he would retire as soon as the Russian evacuation of
the Turkish provinces was completed, and
the Anstris-Hungarian administration
fails established.

At Wielichka, in the centre of the salt mining region of Galecia, in consequence of a violent movement of the waters and surface of the ground, a row of houses split in several places, and the people fled

split in several places, and the people field in a panic.
Losnon, August 13.—A Standard's correspondent at Pesth, says: Count Shechen, a conservative Magyar and Count Potocki, a Pole and zealous partisian of Russia, have the best chances of succeeding Count Andrassy. DIFFICULTY IN FINDING A SUCCESSOR TO AS

VIENNA, August 13.-There is extreme difficulty in finding a successor to Count Andrassy. Upon the choice of his successor will depend whether the Hungarians will continue their loyal devotion to the dynasty. Russis is the only power likely to be satisfied with a change.

COLLISION AT SEA.

LONDON, August 13.—The steamer Cor-sica, from Cardiff for New York, and the steamer Semiramide, from Boston for Liv-erpool, came in collision one hundred miles off Fastnel, and the Semiramide went lown. The crew was saved.

SURRENDERED HIMSELY

Charles E. Grissell. civil engine Charles E. Grissell. civil engineer, who went to France before the issue of the warrant of the Speaker of the House of Commons for his arrest for breach of privilege of the House, in offering to control by bribery, the decision of the Private Bills Committee relative to 'a bridge, has surrendered to the Sergeant-at-Arms of the House. Ward, who was under arrest on a similar charge, obtained his release on a plea of ill health. Vinita to Los Animos, N. M., was return-ing from the latter point, accompa-

### TURKEY.

THE TURKISH PORCE.

CONSTANTIOPLE, August 13.—There is now in Thessaly, Epirus and Macedonia 90,000 Turkish troops, exclusive of artillery and cavalry. These, together with the forces at Adrianople and Constantinople and in Albania, make an army of 160,000 men in European Turkey, more than would be required to deal with Greece in event of war, but the probable consequences of war are not to be esti-

consequences of war are not to be esti-mated by the number of troops.

Information from Macedonia shows that a Bulgarian rising may be easily pro-duced there which would cause a danger-ous movement in Eastern Roumelia and

# RUSSIA.

RUSSIAN POSSESSIONS IN CENTRAL ASIA London, August 13 .- The Post's St Petersburg correspondent reports that in order to colonize the Central Asian provinces Russia has promised all her subjects residing there unlimited land grants and exemption from military service and payment of taxes.

General Kauffman will not return to Turkestan as Governor General Reje

Turkestan as Governor General. Prin Dondonkoff Korsackoff will probably s ceed him in that position.

# MATRIMONIAL AFFAIRS.

Madrid, August 13.—It is expected that he Cortes will reassemble about the end of October, when the projected marriage of King Alfonso with the Archduchess of King Alfonso with the Marie of Austria will be di Marie of Austria will be discussed. After adjournment for the wedding, the pro-posed reforms in Cuba will be discussed.

THE WAR VIRTUALLY OVER. London, August 13.—From a full examination of South African advices since the victory at Uliundi, the Times draws the conclusion that King Cetywayo risked all on that hattle, and therefore that the conclusion of the war had been virtually reached.

# DENMARK.

VIOLENT STORMS.

COPENHAGEN, August 13.—The recent storms in Denmark destroyed over one hundred farm houses killed fifty persons, and did incalculable damage to the crops.

Cases, peing, went dressed and naving money, arrived at East St. Louis this even ing from different places in Mississippi, en route to Kansas on a prospecting trip. They were provided with round-trip tick-POREIGN NOTES.

Russia has formed an alliance with All the Russian war vessels have left

Two cases of cholera occurred at London Two cases of choices occurred at London last week.

The Republique Francaise and Galois have been acquitted of the charge of libeling Don Carlos.

Certain parishes in counties Derry and Tyrone, Ireland, will be placed under the

Mobile will remove its quarantine against New Orleans after Friday. eace preservation act.

The race for the Runnymede plate at

Egham yesterday was won by the American bred filly, Saratoga.

Quelfessi, Republican, has been elected a member of the Council General of Consica, replacing a Bonapartist. Some gold was received at London from Some gold was received at London from Paris yesterday, and was bought in open market for the United States.

The recent great fire at Serajevo post-pones the inquiry of the Austrian Commis-sion into the occupation of Novi Dazar. The Imperial Bank of Germany has aised the rate of discount to 4 per cent and the interest on advances to 5 per cent. A Vienna dispatch to the London Standard reports that the fire in Serajevo is not yet extinguished. Twenty soldiers of the garrison are reported killed, wounded or

yet extinguished. Twenty soldiers of the garrison are reported killed, wounded or missing.

In consequence of the recent disturbances in Samoa, the Prince consented to the dissolution of the Senate, by which he is accused of malversation of public (unds. A conflict with the people is thus averted.

A Baltimore dispatch says that John Crampton, colored, was shot dead while at dianer with his wile and children at their home in Prince George county.

Helix Moonshower, of Emmittsburg, Md., has been arrested for the murder and robbery of James Mertzell, with whom he wast out graning a few days ago.

The medical judges at the Paris Exposition awarded the highest premium to the Olner Rakoczy Ritter Water on account of its excellent medicinal properties. For diseases arising from the digestive of urinary organs, this water will always afford relief. A wineglassful a dose, For sale by all druggists.

### BUSINESS INTERCRES

tevival of the Iron Trade in Pennsy

which have been idle since the panic of

1873 are being reopened and work pushed

the forces being kept on in many of them

night and day. New mines are being

opened and new furnaces built, notably at

Chester and Port Oram. Boonton is the

only town in this section largely interested

in iron which seems permanently crip-

pled. Its furnaces, forges and rolling

stacks at Allentown, Pa., are now in operation, and the indications point to a long continuance of work. The Lehigh

Company has two stacks in op

200 additional hands

THE SECRIST MURDER.

CHETOPA, KAN., August 13 .- Fuller and

nore accurate particulars of the Secrist

rist, contractor on the mail route from

Bound for Canaan's Happy Laud.

filled with colored men of the better

other Northern State with a test to the Chicago & Alton Road in East St. Louis and started for their land of Canaan to-

TELEGRAPH BRIEFS.

During a quarrel at Fincastle, Va., yes erday, James Stevens shot his wife dea

nd ned.

The steamer Enrique arrived at Balti-

more, from Havana, with one case of ye

low fever,
The official census returns of Kansas are

all in and the population on the first of March last, was \$49,978.

went out gunning a few days ago.

Illinois.

Sr. Louis, August 13. - Eight cars, partly

murder have reached here. Captain Se

indoubtedly the Victim of Desp

THREE MEN BEHEADED.

Ferrible Explosion of a Portable Sawmill

he Heads of Three Men Blown Off-Their Maugled Remains Scattered Around the Vicinity-A Heartsicken

ZANESVILLE, August 12.-Intelligence has just been received in this city of a terrible explosion which occurred in Salem Township, this county, late yesterday afternoon, by which three young men were instantly killed.

mills, in which millions are invested, have been idle for years, and are likely to re-main so; but at all other points from Phil-lipsburg eastward to Dover there is a de-mand for ores such as has not existed The scene of the accident is in a dense growth of timber, two miles east of the village of Adamsville, and about thirteen miles from Zanesville. Five men were engaged in running a portable saw mill, whe suddenly the boiler exploded with terrifle force. The boiler seems to have parted in

force. The boiler seems to have parted in the middle, and the front half was lifted into the air and carried 110 yards, while the other end, carrying with it the smoke-stack, went straight back over the saw and carriage sixty to seventy yards.

Caleb Buker, the sawyor, was standing at his post with his right hand on a lever communicating with the engine at the moment the explosion occurred. A piece of the boiler struck him on the neck, shearing the head off as neatly as could have been done with a surgeon's knife. The headless trunk was blown a distance of ten or fifteen feet, but the head was thrown forward and to the left with great force, striking a farmer named John Winn, who was sitting on a log watching the men at work. The ghastly missile knocked Mr. Winn down, but he escaped with slight injuries. His son, a lad of ten or twelve years, had one of his feet badly mashed. Dennison Stotts, an "off-bearer," standing in the rear of the sawyer, was instantly killed, his right arm and head being cut off by the flying debris.

Henry Gaumer, the engineer, was at his post near the furnace and was struck. Iron Company has two stacks in operation, the Allentown Iron Company three, and the Allentown Rolling Mill Company two. The merchant and the rail mill of the latter company are running to their full capacity, and in the pudde mill eleven of the furnaces are working. Of those still idle two are being rebuilt, and if a sufficient number of hands can be secured, these will be started as soon as completed. The machine shop of the company is also working with a full force of hands. The works present a scene of activity, the like of which has not been seen there for years, and there are less idle men about than any time since 1873.

The stacks of the new Coplay Iron Company (reorganized from the Lehigh Valley fron Company) are being put in shape, and in a few weeks will be put in blast. The large iron establishments at Chatasauqua and Hokendauqua are in operation.

READING, P.A. August 13.—The largest.

READING, PA., August 13.—The largest furnace of the Reading Iron Works, fixabine, FA., August 13.—Aire largest furnace of the Reading Iron Works, which went out of blast four years ago, was blown in to-day. This company is now building a new tube mill, which when finished will give simployment to Henry Gaumer, the engineer, was at his post near the furnace, and was atruck by the front end of the boiler. His right by the front end of the boiler. His right arm and about half of the head were car-ried away. Two other men employed about the mill escaped with serious bruises and burns bruises and burns

bruises and burns.

The low stage of water is assigned as the cause of the explosion. The mill is a total wreck, and is scattered in every direction, some of the parts having been hurled two hundred yards. Two of the men killed were married; the other was single.

Thousands of people visited the scene of the accident last night and to-day, and the greatest excitement prevails in that community.

MARTINSBURG. The Crops-Politics-The County Court-Personnis-The Cool Wave, &c. Martinsburg, August 12, 1879.

ing from the latter point, accompanied by J. C. Wilson, once sheriff of this county, and a clock peddler by the name of Young, who has for some months lived at Vinita. On Sunday, July 27th, they took dinner at Bruner's, some 55 miles west of Vinita. This was the last time they were seen. Some eight or tendays afterwards the buckboard and harness used by them were found several miles from the road, east of Bruner's.

Search has been made for the bodies or some trace of them, but as yet this is all that is known of the matter. Four armed men were seen in the neighborhood of Bruner's about the time the men were last seen, and the headquarters of the gang of desperadoes is thought to be situated not more than lifteen or twenty miles from there.

The supposition is that these these little city, I thought I would jot down a few items for the benefit of the readers of the INTELLIGENCER. Martinsburg of to day is quite different from Martinsburg of war times. Then there were scarcely 4,000 inhabitants; now there is almost double that number. On entering the Court The supposition is that these three mer House yesterday, I was reminded of my The supposition is that these three men have been taken off and murdered, and it amounts to almost a certainty, as such characters in the territory were never known to do things by half. Secrist incurred the hatred of some of their number in the penitentiary some years ago, and they had sworn vengeance on him. of 1862-3. Col. Reynolds was the com mander of the post here, with his headquarters at the Court House, and as I entered the room, the bearer of a dispatch to him, I found him seated where yesterday was seated the Judge of the County Court dispensing justice. It was quite a FALL RIVER, August 13 .- A report says change, and it is to be hoped, much every

Fall River, August 13.—A report says that Paine would make no statement of his loss, while another runor credits his placing the amount at \$175,000. Paine is between 50 and 60 years of age, and a son of Walter Paine, of Providence, who was Treasurer of an insurance company in that city. He married the eldest daughter of Jefferson Borden. Geo. B. Durfee married another of Borden's daughter. He holds many important offices in the city. He for several years waş a member of the City Council, and at one time was President of the Board of Trade, is Treasurer of the American Linen Mills, Trustee of River Savings Bank, a Director of the Metacomet National Bank, Director of the Fall River Granite Company, trustee of the public library and one of the trustees under the new management of the American Print Wards was one of the mercian Print Wards was one of the meating the new party. the public howeversation that they are been under the new party affiliations, and hence the new party affiliations, and hence the new party is popular. It is to purify the politics of st Church, the form our State. If this be really true, I say amen to the movement, but here as elsowhere I fear the leaders are composed of where I fear the leaders are composed of soreheads from the other parties, who ex-Works, was one of the most active members of the First Baptist Church, the former President of the Y. M. C. A., and always actively engaged in the mission work of this city. He has always been considered one of the most upright men in the city, and noted for his conservatism.

where I fear the leaders are composed of soreheads from the other parties, who expect to ride into office on the now hobby. The County Court is about the same here as elsewhere, but I see one thing very favorable to Berkeley county, I. e., there was but one case before the grand jury—that of petit larceny—and no bill was found. There were no indictanents for the selling of liquor contrary to law. This goes to show, I suppose that the saloon keepers are all honest men, for I notice quite a number of silons in the class, being well dressed and having ing from different places in Mississippi, en route to Kansas on a prospecting trip. They were provided with round-trip ticknotice quite a number of saloons they were protected with return directly home or examine some other Northern State with a view to emi-

I am cozily situated at the Continental Hotel, Win. Rutledge proprietor, wants of all the guests are well s I have had the pleasure of meeti E. S. Troxel and J. H. Bristor, E. S. Troxel and J. H. Bristor, friends of bygone days, the former a comrade during the war, now a practicing attorney at the bar at this place, and I hear a very successful one. The latter, a friend of my boyhood days, is engaged here now, as he has been for years past, a real estate agent, and is succeeding well. I noticed the following lawyers present and engaged in the work before them: E. Boyd Faulkner and Charles James, jr., Wisner, W. H. H. Flick, Prosecuting Attorney Schaffer, G. W. Feidt, and a number of others whose names I did not learn.

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C. J. Faulkner is at Charlestown at pre sent attending the Court of Appeals, now in session at that place.

Many of the Methodist brethren are Many of the Methodist brethren are about leaving the city to attend camp meeting near Harrisburg, Pa., which begins to-day. Many from this place annually attend this meeting. The camp ground is situated on the line of the Cumberland Valley Raliroad, and although some fifty miles distant, the reduced rates of travel give all who wish an opportunity of attending it.

March last, was \$49,078.

The steamship Scythia has arrived at New York and brought \$265,000 in gold bars and American eagles.

The steamer Victoria from Lendon, brings thirty stallions and six mares for breeding purposes. They will be taken to Illinois. of travel give all who wish an opportunity of attending it.

I had the pleasure to-day of visiting the home of Capt. Riggs, and spending a short time very pleasantly with him and his excellent lady. They are both well known to many of your readers, being from Moundsville. The Captain is counted one of the best and most enterprising citizens of Martinsburg.

The cool wave that has visited other parts of our State is felt here also, and although this promises to be somewhat warmer, the past few days have been decidedly cool, the nights being such that fires have been kindled in many homes. Layberger, of Pittsburgh, and the other scullers who are to engage in the rowing contests at Barry, Canada, next week, have arrived there.

warmer, the past few days have been de-cidedly cool, the nights being such that fires have been kindled in many homes. The health of the city is said to be very good, and, indeed, the inhabitants claim that there is no healthier spot on this green earth, and, judging from the appearance of the people, one would

A Washington dispatch says it is un-derstood that Dr. Cahell, President of the National Board of Health, and Dr. Turn-er, the Secretary, will resign on the 19th appearance of the people, one would think they are almost right. But this communication has grown tedious, and I will close, promising more from other points if anything is observed worth writing about.